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A. Text Books

	Title	Author/Publisher/Distributor	Approx. Annual Cost (Prices Subject to Change)
1.	Approved Practices in Swine Production	E.M. Juergenson & K. Baker, 1979, 432 pp. Miller Publishing Co., P.O. Box 67, Minneapolis, Minn. 55440	$16.00 (US)
2.	Aspects of Swine Ecology	David Hollier K.G. Johnson Livestock Equipment Ltd., P.O. Box 209, St. Jacob's, Ontario N0B 2N0 (519) 664-2277	$14.00

3.	Controlled Breeding in Farm Animals	I. Gordon, 1983. Pergamon Press Ltd., Suite 104, 150 Consumers Rd., Willowdale, Ontario M2J 1P9 ISBN 0-08-024410-6 Hard Cover - ISBN 0-08-024409-2 Soft Flexicover -	 $87.50 $44.00
4.	Control of Pig Reproduction	D.J.A. Cole and G.R. Foxcroft, 1982 Butterworth Scientific, London ISBN 0-408-10768-5	 $119.95 (US)
5.	Diseases of Swine	A.D. Leman et al. 5th edition, 1981. 832 pp. Source: Iowa State University Press, Ames, Iowa 50010	$64.50 (US)
6.	Early Weaning of Pigs	G. Brent et al. 1977. 134 pp. Farming Press Ltd., Wharfedale Road, Ipswich IP1 4LG, U.K.	$5.00
7.	Feeds and Nutrition	M.E. Ensminger Interstate Publishers, Danville, Ill.	$53.59 (US)
8.	Hog Information, Please	Vol. IV. National Hog Farmer. 1984 1999 Shepard Road, St. Paul, Minn. 55116	$6.00 (US)
9.	The Merck Veterinary Manual	Merck & Co. Inc., Publications Rahway, New Jersey 07065	$15.00
10.	MLC Pig Improvement Scheme Yearbook (annual)	Meat & Livestock Commission Queensway House, Bletchley Milton Keynes, MK2 2EF	
11.	The Nutrient Requirements of Pigs	1981. 307 pp. Commonwealth Agricultural Bureaux, Farnham Royal, Slough, SL2 3BN England	$55.00
12.	Nutrient Requirements of Swine	8th Edition, 1979. Office of Publications, National Academy of Science, 210 Constitution Avenue N.W., Washington, D.C. 20418	$3.75 (US)
13.	Pig Diseases	Third Edition. D.J. Taylor. 1983 31, North Birbiston Road, Lennontown, Glasgow G6S 7LZ	
14.	Pig Farmers Veterinary Book	Farming Press Ltd., Wharfedale Road, Ipswich IP1 4LG, U.K.	Not Known
15.	Pig Housing	David Sainsbury. 5th Edition. 1978. 222 pp. Farming Press Ltd. Wharfedale Road, Ipswich IP1 4LG, U.K.	Not Known
16.	Pigman's Handbook	Gerry Brent, Diamond Farm Book Publishers, R.R. #3, Brighton, Ont. K0K 1H0 (613) 475-1771	$16.95

17.	Pig Production	C.T. Whittemore. 1980. 145 pp. Longman Group Ltd., London.	$12.50
18.	Practical Pig Nutrition	C.T. Whittemore & F.W.H. Elsley. 1976. 190 pp. Farming Press Ltd. Wharfedale Road, Ipswich, Suffolk, England IP1 4LG	$10.95
19.	Practical Pig Production	3rd Edition. Rev. 1981. 225 pp. Farming Press Ltd., Wharfedale Road, Ipswich IP1 4LG, U.K.	$20.00
20.	The Sow - Improving Her Efficiency	English, Smith & MacLean. 1977. Farming Press Ltd., Wharfedale Road, Ipswich IP1 4LG, U.K.	$15.00
21.	Swine Feeding and Nutrition	T.J. Cunha. 1977. 352 pp. Academic Press Inc. 111 Fifth Avenue, New York, N.Y. 10003	$30.00 (US)
22.	Swine Information Service	1999 Shepard Road, St. Paul Minn. 55116	$15.00 (US)
23.	Swine Production	Carroll, W.L. & J.L. Krider & J.H. Conrad. 1982. Miller Publishing Co. Reeder Service P.O. Box 67, Minneapolis, Minn. 55440	$26.50 (US)
24.	Swine Production in Temperature and Tropical Environments	1974. W.G. Pond & J.H. Moner, W.H. Freeman & Co., San Francisco ISBN 0-7167-0840-X	
25.	Swine Science	M.E. Ensminger. 767 pp. 4th Edition 1970. The Interstate Printers & Publishers Inc. Darville, Illinois	$28.00 (US)
26.	The TV Vet Book for Pig Farmers	Farming Press Ltd., Wharfedale Road, Ispwich, Suffolk, England IP1 4LG, U.K.	
27.	The Welfare of Pigs	W. Sybesma. Martinus Nijhoff Publishers Distributor: Kluiver Boston Inc. 190 Old Derby St., Hingham MA 02043 ISBN 90-247-2429-5	

B. Magazines

		Address Inquiry/ Subscription to	Frequency of Publication	Subscription Rate/Year
1.	Hog Digest	Hog Digest Good Earth Publications AB & Rangeline Rds., Rt. 1, Columbia, Missouri 65201, U.S.A.	Bi-Monthly	$9.00
2.	Hog Farm Management	Hog Farm Management P.O. Box 67, Minneapolis Minnesota 55440, U.S.A.	Monthly	$20.00
3.	Hog Guide	The Public Press Ltd. 1760 Ellice Avenue Winnipeg, Manitoba	Bi-Monthly Supplement to Country Guide R3H 0B6	$6.00
4.	International Pigletter (Newsletter)	Published by Pig World Inc., Box 662 South St. Paul, Minn. 55075 U.S.A.	Monthly	$75.00
5.	National Hog Farmer	National Hog Farmer 1999 Shepard Road St. Paul, Minn. 55116, U.S.A.	Monthly	$15.00
6.	Pig American	Circulation Department Watt Publishing Co. Mount Morris, Illinois 61054 U.S.A.	Bi-Monthly	$15.00
7.	Pig Farming	Pig Farming Wharfedale Road Ipswich, England IP1 4L6	Monthly	$36.00
8.	Pigs	Misset International Circulation Department P.O. Box 4, 7000 BA Doetinchem, The Netherlands		$16.00 (U.S.)
9.	Pork Industry Outlook (Newsletter)	Pork Industry Outlook 2747 Cleveland Drive Ames, Iowa 50010 U.S.A.	Bi-weekly	$52.00
10.	Western Hog Journal	Western Hog Journal 10319 Princess Elizabeth Ave., Edmonton, Alberta T5G 0Y5	Quarterly	FREE

C. Breed Journals

		Address Inquiry/ Subscription to	Frequency of Publication	Subscription Rate/Year
1.	American Hampshire Herdsman	Hampshire Swine Registry 1111 Main Street Peoria, Illinois 61606	Monthly	$4.00
2.	The American Landrace	American Landrace Assn. Inc., 112½ North Main Culver, Indiana 46511, U.S.A.	10 times/ year	$8.00
3.	Berkshire News	American Berkshire Assn. 601 West Monroe Street Springfield, Illinois 62704, U.S.A.	10 times/	$5.00
4.	Canadian Swine	Canadian Swine Breeders Association, c/o Diane P. Baltaz, R.R. 1, New Dundee, Ontario N0B 2E0	Quarterly	$3.00
5.	Duroc News	The United Duroc Swine Registry 1803 W. Detweiller Drive Peoria, Illinois 61615	Monthly	$5.00
6.	Yorkshire Journal	American Yorkshire Club Inc., Box 2417, 1769 U.S. 52N West Lafayette, Indiana 47906, U.S.A.	10 times/ year	$2.00

C. Scientific Journals

		Address Inquiry/ Subscription to	Frequency of Publication	Subscription Rate/Year
1.	Animal Production	Longman Group Ltd. Subscriptions (Journals) Fourth Avenue, Harlow, Essex, England CM19 5AA	Bi-Monthly	$106.00
2.	Canadian Journal of Animal Science	Agricultural Institute of Canada, Suite 907, 151 Slater Street Ottawa, Ontario K1P 5H4	Quarterly	$17.00

3.	Index of Current Research on Pigs	CAB ISSN 0568-2800	Annual	
4.	Journal of Animal Science	Business Manager American Society of Animal Science 309 West Clark Street Champaign, Illinois 61820, U.S.A.	Monthly	$35.00
5.	Pig News and Information	Central Sales Commonwealth Agricultural Bureaux, Farnham Royal, Slough, United Kingdom SL2 3BN ISSN 0143-9014	Quarterly	$28.00/yr
6.	The Pig Veterinary Society Proceedings	Royal Veterinary College Hawkshead House, Hawkshead Lane, North Mymms, Hatfield, Hertfordshire AL9 7TA ISSN 0141-3074	Quarterly	

E. Publications

1. **ALBERTA**

- **Research Highlights, Lacombe Research Station. (Annual) Lacombe, Alberta**
- **Proceedings of the Alberta Conference on Reproduction and Artificial Insemination . Nov. 16-18, 1979. A.I. Section, Alberta Agriculture, Edmonton**
- **Swine Project Book. 4-H Branch. Alberta Agriculture, 7000 — 113 Street, Edmonton, Alberta**

(Available from Print Media Branch, Alberta Agriculture, 7000 - 113 Street, Edmonton, Alberta T6H 5T6)

- **821-11** ***Economics of Hog Production in Alberta.*** **1980**
  821-23 ***Economics of Hog Finishing in Alberta.*** **1981**
  821-24 ***Economics of Farrow-Finish Hog Production in Alberta.*** **1981**

Other Alberta Publications (Available from Pork Industry Branch, Alberta Agriculture, 7000 - 113 Street, Edmonton, Alberta T6H 5T6

- **Alberta Pork Production Handbook - 75 fact sheets - no charge**
- **Alberta Swine R.O.P. Annual Reports - no charge**
- **Bi-monthly R.O.P. Home Test Reports - no charge**
- **Test Station Sales Notices - no charge**
- **Home Study Course in Pork Production - $30.00 each**

2. **AGRICULTURE CANADA PUBLICATIONS**

(Available from Agriculture Canada, Information Division, Sir John Carling Building, Ottawa, Ontario K1A 0C7

- **Gas Poisoning on the Farm. 1979 AC 1688**
- **Swine Management Review. 1981**
- **Livestock Market Review. (Annual)**
- **Livestock & Meat Trade Report. (Weekly)**
- **Recommended Code of Practice for Care and Handling of Pigs. Agriculture Canada Publication 1771/E. Communications Branch, Agriculture Canada, Ottawa K1A 0C7**
- **Agriculture Canada Research Station, Annaul Research Report, Box 610, Brandon, Manitoba R7A 5Z7**

3. OTHER PUBLICATIONS

	TITLE	AVAILABLE FROM
1.	Alberta Pork Congress Proceedings - Annual	Alberta Pork Congress, c/o Alberta Agriculture 4920 - 51 Street, Red Deer, Alberta T4N 6K8
2.	Alberta Pork Seminar Proceedings - Annual	University of Alberta Bookstore, University of Alberta, Edmonton
3.	American Pork Congress Proceedings - Annual	National Pork Producers Council, 4715 Grand Avenue, Des Moines, Iowa, U.S.A.
4.	Danish Meat Research Institute. Annual Report	Maglegardswej 2 DK-4000 Roskilde, Denmark FREE
5.	Feeders Day Report - Annual	University of Alberta, Department of Animal Science, Edmonton, Alberta
6.	Guelph Pork Symposium	April 12 & 13, 1983 at University of Guelph, Guelph, Ontario
7.	Hog Marketing Review Committee, January 1981	Planning & Research Secretariat, Alberta Agriculture, 7000 - 113 Street, Edmonton T6H 5T6
8.	Livestock and Meat Outlook & Situation - Monthly	Superintendent of Documents, U.S. Department of Agriculture, Washington, D.C. 20402 $12.00 (US) Annually
9.	Manitoba Hog Day Proceedings	Animal Industry Branch, Agricultural Services Complex, 545 University Crescent, Winnipeg, Manitoba R3T 2N2
10.	Fact Sheets on Swine Production	Ministry of Agriculture and Food, Communications Branch, Queen's Park, Toronto, Ontario M7A 1A5
11.	Pig Management Manual	Department of Agriculture, P.O. Box 4041,Melbourne, Victoria, Australia 3001 $15.00 (US)
12.	PORK	Canadian Pork Council, 111 Sparks St., Ottawa $5.00
13.	Pork and Nutrition M.A. Bush	Canadian Pork Council, 111 Sparks St., Ottawa
14.	Pork Industry Handbook	Cooperative Extension Service, Michigan State University - Extension Swine Specialist, 205 Anthony Hall, M.S.U., East Lansing, Michigan 48824, $23.50 (US)
15.	Prairie Swine Centre Saskatoon, Sask Annual Report	Department of Animal Science, University of Saskatchewan, Saskatoon
16.	Saskatchewan Swine Symposium Proceedings	Animal Industry Branch, Saskatchewan Agriculture 3130 - 8th St., E. Saskatoon, Sask. S7H 0W2
17.	Swine Nursery Design	VIDO, 124 Veterinary Road, Saskatoon, Saskatchewan S7N 0W0
18.	V.I.D.O. Research Reports	Veterinary Infectious Diseases Organization University of Saskatchewan, Saskatoon, Sask. S7N 0W0

F. Information Offices

TITLE	AVAILABLE FROM
1. ALBERTA AGRICULTURE:	
a. Alberta Agriculture district offices - 65 locations in Alberta	
b. Regional Swine Specialists	- Agriculture Centre, Lethbridge Alberta T1J 4C7 Tel. 329-5108 A. George - 4920-51 St., Red Deer, Alberta T4N 6K8 Tel. 340-5334 - Box 330, Vermilion, Alberta T0B 4M0 Tel. 853-2811 - Box 1540, Barrhead, Alberta T0G 0E0 Tel. 674-8248 M. Salomons
c. Regional Livestock Specialists Regional Agricultural Engineers Regional Farm Economists	Lethbridge - 320-5151 Airdrie - 948-5101 Red Deer - 340-5111 Vermilion - 853-2811 Barrhead - 674-3351
d. Pork Industry Branch	Edmonton - 427-5320 F. Schuld
e. Swine R.O.P.	Edmonton - 427-5319 A. Lange
f. Swine Breeding Centre A.I. and R.O.P.	Leduc - 986-1250 S. Harbison
g. Swine Nutritionists	Edmonton - Soil & Feed Testing Lab. 436-9150 S. Jaikaran
h. Swine Herd Health Veterinarian	Edmonton - O.S. Longman Building 436-9341
i. Reproductive Physiologist	Edmonton - 427-5302 Dr. B. Callaghan
j. Livestock Pest Control Specialist	Edmonton - 427-9051 Dr. A. Khan
k. International Marketing	Edmonton - 427-4241
l. Publications Office	Edmonton - 427-2121
2. RESEARCH CENTRES	
a. Lacombe Research Station, Lacombe	782-3316 Dr. A. Sather
b. Prairie Swine Centre, Saskatoon	(306) 343-2666 Dr. P. Thacker
c. University of Alberta Animal Science Department, Edmonton	432-2118 Dr. F. Aherne 432-3235 Dr. Reg Berg
3. REGIONAL COLLEGES	
a. Fairview College Box 3000 Fairview, Alberta T0H 1L0	835-2213 H. McLaughlin
b. Lakeland College Vermilion, Alberta T0B 4M0	853-2971 J. Harcus

c. Olds College
Olds, Alberta T0M 1P0

556-8367 Dr. L. Abenes

4. SWINE ORGANIZATIONS

a. Alberta Pork Producers Marketing Board, Edmonton 474-8288
Toll-free Hog Line 1-800-222-6509
In Edmonton - 474-8938

b. Alberta Swine Breeders Association, Rosalind 375-3779
L. Boulter, Secretary

c. Canadian Landrace Breeders Association. Okotoks 938-7741
F. Bertels, President

d. Canadian Swine Breeders Association, R.R. 1, New Dundee, Ontario N0B 2E0
Diane P. Baltaz, Secretary,(519) 696-2535

e. Southern Alberta Hog Producers Association, Lethbridge 345-2805
K. Dunsden, President

f. Western Hog Growers Association, Wainwright 842-3490
B. Perkins, President

5. OTHERS

a. AGRICULTURE CANADA
Food Production and Inspection Branch
9020 - 107 Street
Edmonton, Alberta T5K 1G2

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Leduc, Alberta T9E 2X2

W. Nash, Station Manager 986-5055

d. SWINE R.O.P. TEST STATION
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S. Smith, Station Manager 782-6360

e. REGIONAL VETERINARY DIRECTOR
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Postal Station M. Bag 2998
Calgary, Alberta T2P 3C3

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G. Regular Swine Industry Events

1. ALBERTA

a. Alberta Feed Industry Association - Annual Conference - Edmonton or Calgary - held each year in September. Contact: H. Campbell, Secretary. Tel: 435-4052. 11643 - 79 Avenue, Edmonton T6G 0P8

b. Alberta Pork Congress - held annually Tuesday-Thursday, second full week in June at the Exhibition Grounds in Red Deer. Contact: Manager, C. Voros, Box 5002, Red Deer, Alberta T4N 5Y5. Tel: 343-5307

c. Alberta Pork Seminar - held annually third week in January at the Banff Centre in Banff, Alberta. Contact: Department of Animal Science, University of Alberta, Dr. F. Aherne. Tel: 432-2118 or Faculty of Extension, University of Alberta, Val Smyth, Tel: 432-2406

d. Calgary Roundup - usually held last week in October (just prior to Edmonton Farm Fair) at the Calgary Stampede Grounds. Contact Gord Fache, Agricultural Manager. Tel: 261-0157. Calgary Exhibition Association, Box 1060, Calgary T2P 2K8

e. Canadian Meat Council. Annual Meeting - early February, annually. 1985 - meeting dates Feb. 6, 7 and 8 - the Banff Springs Hotel, Banff, Alberta

f. Edmonton Farm Fair - first week in November at Edmonton Northlands. Contact Leroy Emerson, Edmonton Northlands, P.O. Box 1480, Edmonton T5J 2N5. Tel: 477-7210

g. Edmonton Spring Show - last full week of March each year at Edmonton Northlands. Contact Leroy Emerson, Edmonton Northlands, P.O. Box 1480, Edmonton T5J 2N5. Tel: 477-7210

h. Lethbridge Rocky Mountain Show - late October

i. Taking Stock - Market Prospects for Cattle - Hogs (Annual) Early November

j. Lethbridge Swine Fair - November

2. OTHER PROVINCES

a. Guelph Pork Symposium - at University of Guelph, Guelph, Ontario

b. Manitoba Hog Days - held in Winnipeg December at Convention Centre. To alternate between Winnipeg and Brandon. Contact: C. Frose, Agriculture Complex, 545 University Crescent, Winnipeg R3T 2N2 Tel: (204) 269-1220

c. Manitoba Pork Seminar - Mid-February in Brandon. Contact: Dennis Hacker, Agriculture Complex, 545 University Crescent, Winnipeg R3T 2N2. Tel: (204) 269-1220

d. Ontario Pork Congress - held in third full week of June in Stratford, Ontario Contact Jean Smelski, Secretary, Box 61, Stratford, Ontario N5A 6S8

Saskatchewan Agribition - First week in December in Regina. Contact Larry Schneider, Box 3771, Regina, Saskatchewan. Tel: (306) 527-6133

e. Saskatchewan Swine Symposium - first week in November. Contact Vern Racz or Al Theede, Saskatchewan Agriculture, 3130 - 8 Street E. Saskatoon, Saskatchewan S7H 0W2. Tel: (306) 664-5099

3. International

a. American Pork Congress - Second week in March annually. Held in rotation in Indianapolis, Des Moines, Kansas City, St. Louis, Contact: National Pork Producers Council, Box 10383, Des Moines, Iowa 50306

b. International Pig Trade Show - Early December in Atlanta, Georgia. Contact: Charles Rose, Watt Publishing Co., P.O. Box 947, Callman, Alabama 35055

c. National Barrow Show - mid-September in Austin, Minnesota at the Fairgrounds. Contact John Phillips, Geo. A. Hormel & Co., Austin, Minn. 55912

d. National Pig Fair - National Agricultural Centre, Stoneleigh, England. Usually held mid-April. Contact Pig Farming, Wharfedale Road, Ipswick IP1 4LG

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